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Application Type	Fee (\$)	Fee(\$)	<u>Fee(\$)</u>	Fee(\$)	<u>Fee(\$)</u>	Fee(\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	•
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

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